assisting the States in the Modernization of the State Police Forces and deploying Central para-military Forces to the concerned State Governments on specific requests. In addition, the Union Government sends advisories and guidelines in this regard from time to time. Detailed guideliens to promote communal harmony in the country have been issued to all the States/Union Territories. The activities of all organizations having a bearing on communal harmony in the country are under constant watch of law enforcement agencies and requisite legal action is taken, wherever necessary.

The Union Government has also introduced a Bill titled 'The Communal Violence (Prevention, Control and Rehabilitation of Victims) Bill, 2005' in Rajya Sabha to address all aspects of the issue of communal violence.

Commissioning of SEZs

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Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) how many SEZs have been commissioned so far;

(b) the SEZ-wise details of their export earnings during the financial year 2006-07, SEZ-wise;

(c) what was the export earning of the non-IT SEZs out of this;

(d) what was the annual target for SEZs for financial year 2006-07; and

(e) what is the export target for the financial year 2007-08?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) Total number of Special Economic Zones (SEZs) operational in the country as on 31.03.2007, including these established prior to the SEZ Act, 2005, is 31.

(b) Details of export earnings from the operational Special Economic Zones (SEZs) during 2006-07 are as follows:—

Sl. No.	Name of the SEZ	Type of SEZ	Exports in 2006-07 (Rs. Crores)
1.	Kandla Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	1482.66
2.	SEEPZ Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	11897.00
3	Noida Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	6893.00
4.	Madras Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	2462.40
5	Cochin Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	1037.52
6.	Falta Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	998.00
7.	Visakhapatnam SEZ	Multi-Product	715.00
8.	Indore Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	217.02
9.	Surat Special Economic Zone	Multi-Product	5198.94
10.	Surat Apparel Park SEZ	Textiles/Apparel	1.64
11.	Jaipur Special Economic Zone	Gems Jewellery	168.47
12.	Jodhpur Special Economic Zone	Handicrafts	6.48
13.	Mahindra IT SEZ	IT/ITES	485.67
14	Mahindra Apparel SEZ	Textiles/Apparel	9.19
15.	Manikanchan Special Economic Zone	Gems Jewellery	1018.00
16.	Wipro Special Economic Zone	IT/ITES	254.00
17.	Nokia Special Economic Zone	Electronic Hardware	1649.66
18.	Flextronics SEZ	Electronic Hardware	161.54
19.	ETL Infrastructure SEZ	IT/ITES	131.28
20.	Apache SEZ	Leather/Footwear	1.69
21.	Divi's Laboratories	Pharmaceuticals	-
22.	Rajiv Gandhi IT Park, Chandigarh	IT/ITES	-
23	Mundra Port SEZ Limited	Multi Product	-
24	Essar Hazira	Engineering	-
25.	WIPRO Electronic City	IT/ITES	-
26.	WIPRO Limited, Sarjapur	IT/ITES	-
27.	Biocon Limited, Bangalore	IT/ITES	-
28	Serum Bio-Pharma Park, Pune	Biotech-Pharmaceuticals	-
29.	Moser Baer, Noida	Solar Cells	-
30.	Mahindra World City Auto SEZ	Automobile Ancillaries	-
31.	Moradabad SEZ	Handicrafts	
	TOTAL EXPORTS		34789.16

(c) Total value of exports from non-IT SEZs during 2006-07 were Rs. 32,107.01 crores.

(d) No specific annual targets for exports from SEZs are fixed. However, growth of exports from SEZs during 2006-07 was 52% as compared to 2005-06.

(e) Proejected exports from the SEZs during 2007-08 are Rs.67,300 crores.

Safeguarding the Interests of Indian farmers in ASEAN

*587. DR. ABHISHEK MANU SINGHVI: Will the Minister of COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Association of South East Asian Nations (ASEAN) had attended to the sensitivities of India during the negotiations held during January, 2007 in Philippines, for the proposed Free Trade Agreement (FTA);

(b) if so, whether India's objective of forging a consensus with the ASEAN on the contentious issues of the negative list of items that we did not want to be considered, was adequately achieved; and

(c) whether the interests of Indian farmers and sections of the deomestic industry have been safeguarded?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMERCE AND INDUSTRY (SHRI JAIRAM RAMESH): (a) and (b) Yes, Sir. ASEAN Economic Ministers (AEM)-India Consultations Meeting was held at Cebu, Philippines on January 11, 2007, during which both ASEAN and India agreed to maintain a Negative List to cover their respective sensitivities. It was further agreed that the Negative List by India and each ASEAN Member country would be subject to a maximum number of 490 tariff lines and an import value cap of 5%. Even though ASEAN were initially disinclined to accept India's proposed for a Negative List, India was able to persuade ASEAN to provide for mutally agreed sensitivities through a Negative List.

(c) India's proposed Negative List adequately safeguards the interests of farmers and sensitive sectors of the domestic industry. The Negative List consists of items mostly of Agricultural products, Textiles, Chemicals and Petro-chemicals, Automobiles etc. The negative list has been made in consultation with various Ministries and other stakeholders.

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